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1. SUMMARY. THE CHINESE AIR FORCE (CAF) HAS A PLAN FOR PROVIDING FIGHTER COVER FOR GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF CHINA (GRC) OVERFLIGHTS OF THE CHINA MAINLAND.

2. [redacted] THE CAF HAS A NEW OPERATIONAL PLAN CALLING FOR USE OF FIGHTER COVER FOR GRC OVERFLIGHTS OF THE CHINA MAINLAND. [redacted] FIGHTERS SHOULD BE AVAILABLE TO PROTECT OTHER AIRCRAFT IN CASE OF AN ATTACK BY CHINESE COMMUNIST FIGHTERS. ALTHOUGH FIGHTERS COULD NOT EO 12958 3.4(b)(1) (C) EO 12958 6.1(c)>2

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